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RAJYA SABHA

Computerised Rail Reservation Counters in Gujarat

†4685. DR. A. K. PATEL : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of railway stations in Gujarat where computerised reservation counters are likely to be set up by the end of 2001; and

(b) the station-wise details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH): (a) Three.

(b) Udhna, Ankleshwar and Viramgam.

Statistics of all accidents in SCR

4686. SHRI K. KALAVENKATA RAO:

SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether under reporting of rail accidents was affecting the safety environment;

(b) whether the South Central Railway has admitted that all accidents were not included in official accident statistics;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) the action proposed to ensure proper recording of all accidents by rationalisation; and

(e) the action proposed against the officials responsible for distorted feedback resulting in non-corrective steps by the management?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH): (a) and (b) No, Sir. There is no under reporting of accidents. South Central Railway is reporting all consequential train accidents to Railway Board

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.